

Columbia-Brazoria ISD

CHILD FIND STATEMENT

Columbia-Brazoria Independent School District provides for a free and appropriate public education for all children with disabilities in a variety of specially designed programs. CBISD is responsible for identifying, locating, and evaluating any child with known or suspected disabilities who reside within the district's boundaries to determine whether a need for special education and related services exist. This mandate also applies to any child currently attending a private school in the CBISD area or homeschooled.

Special education and related services are available for persons, ages 3-21 inclusive, who have disabilities in the following areas:

- autism
- deaf-blindness
- auditory impairment
- intellectual disabilities
- multiple disabilities
- orthopedic impairment
- other health impairment
- emotional disability
- specific learning disability
- speech or language impairment
- traumatic brain injury
- and visual impairment.

Services for students with an auditory or visual impairment may begin at birth. Programs for preschool-aged children with disabilities are also available.

If you are aware of a child who may be eligible for services and is not receiving them, contact the principal of your school or Becky Wilson 979-345-5147 x 2550 or email Rebecca.wilson@cbisd.com